JOHN FERREE’S PARENTS

William Henry Ferree and Martha Mary Bossler

William Henry Ferree Sr. VVeteran

Birth

8 Nov 1847

York County, Pennsylvania, USA

Death

30 Nov 1912 (aged 65)

York Township, York County, Pennsylvania, USA

Burial

Codorus Church of the Brethren Cemetery

Loganville, York County, Pennsylvania, USA

Memorial ID

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The son of John C. & Mary A. (Ludwig) Ferree, in 1860 he was a laborer allegedly living in Glen Rock, York County, Pennsylvania, although he is not found in that census. He stood 5' 7" tall and had brown hair and gray eyes.  
  
A Civil War veteran, he enlisted in Harrisburg March 2, 1865, mustered into federal service at Carlisle March 7 as a private with the 101st Pennsylvania Infantry in the second organization of Co. E, and honorably discharged with his company June 25, 1865.  
  
He married Martha Mary Bossler and fathered the children you see linked below, all of whom were born in Wrightsville, York County. He died at age 65-0-22 from the effects of "diabetes mellitus." November 13, 1846, is also reported as his date of birth.

**Gravesite Details**

Birth date calculated from a stated age at death of 65-0-22. Several Internet web sites, however, claim he was born November 13, 1846.

WILLIAM’S WIFE

Martha Mary Bossler Ferree

Birth

6 Jul 1848

Germany

Death

20 Feb 1952 (aged 103)

York County, Pennsylvania, USA

Burial

Codorus Church of the Brethren Cemetery

Loganville, York County, Pennsylvania, USA

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WILLIAM CHILDREN

Children

Anna Mary Ferree Burger

1873–1947

William Henry Ferree Jr

1875–1941

Charles Eddie Ferree

1878–1952

John Howard Ferree (1880-1961) He married Katie Eberly.

Martha Jane Ferree Metz

1882–1970

Lydia Ferree

1884–1887

Samuel George Ferree

1888–1956

Sarah Elizabeth Ferree Raffensberger

1890–1972

Naomi Mae Ferree Stump Ness

1894–1980

WILLIAM’S PARENTS

PVT John C Ferree

1822–1862

Mary Ann Ludwig Ferree

1825–1898

Children

William Henry Ferree Sr

1847–1912

Elizabeth Ann Ferree Ness

1850–1921

Catharine Ferree Flinchbaugh

1853–1930

John Ludwig Ferree

1855–1937

Samuel Spencer Ferree Sr

1858–1943

Caleb Ferree

1859–1940

Andrew A. or L. Ferree

1861–1944

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